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## GOV. EASLEY ANNOUNCES STANLY COUNTY WILL RECEIVE \$1 MILLION STATE GRANT FOR WASTEWATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS

**RALEIGH** – Gov. Mike Easley today announced that Stanly County will receive \$1 million from the High Unit Cost Grant Account for wastewater system improvements.

"These funds will allow Stanly County to make much-needed investments in its infrastructure," Easley said. "This type of investment is key to the area's success in pursuing economic development opportunities and for improving the environmental performance of its facilities."

The loan will assist with the construction of a gravity sewer, a pump station and a sewer force main to serve Aquadale School.

Work on the project is slated to begin in early 2006.

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